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Dear Ms. Mehan:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Schedule B supporting Line 23 of your report discloses contributions to The Bayou PAC and Science Leadership PAC; however, you have disclosed "W.J. 'Billy' Tauzin LA U.S. Representative District 3" and "James Sensenbrenner, Jr. WI U.S Representative 9<sup>th</sup> District", respectively, in the purpose of disbursement fields. Please clarify whether these were earmarked contributions made by your committee through the previously mentioned committees to these candidates, or if you made these contributions to these committees exercising no direction or control over how these funds were to be used. If the latter is the case, please do not include the candidate's name in the purpose of disbursement field in future reports.

-Pursuant to 11 CFR §110.6(c), all earmarked contributions, that have passed through a conduit's account, must be itemized on the receipt (Schedule A) and disbursement (Schedule B) schedules, regardless of the amount. Please identify the original contributors for the earmarked contributions disclosed on Schedule B.

-2 U.S.C. §434(b)(3) requires itemization of contributions from individuals and persons other than political committees, where the aggregate total from